

Table 53. Selected Farm Characteristics by Producers' Involvement in Decisionmaking: 2022 and 2017

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Characteristics	Day-to-day decisions		Land use and/or crop decisions		Livestock decisions	
	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS						
Farms	29,914	33,668	25,147	29,464	20,727	24,670
Land in farms	9,968,307	10,069,395	8,787,471	9,226,934	4,641,405	5,351,817
FARMS BY SIZE						
1 to 9 acres	1,563	2,179	1,206	1,765	1,210	1,808
10 to 49 acres	7,737	8,424	6,294	7,200	6,112	6,888
50 to 179 acres	10,652	12,257	8,946	10,763	7,750	9,201
180 to 499 acres	5,690	6,466	4,918	5,753	3,826	4,525
500 acres or more	4,272	4,342	3,783	3,983	1,829	2,248
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS						
Owned land in farms	28,111	31,578	23,594	27,638	19,790	23,344
acres	6,092,466	6,263,483	5,171,509	5,593,675	3,366,085	3,766,987
Rented or leased land in farms	8,222	9,614	7,335	8,831	5,728	7,442
acres	3,875,841	3,805,912	3,615,962	3,633,259	1,275,320	1,584,830
TENURE						
Full owners	21,692	24,054	17,812	20,633	14,999	17,228
farms	4,321,433	4,406,993	3,563,395	3,851,714	2,372,437	2,548,623
acres	6,419	7,524	5,782	7,005	4,791	6,116
Part owners	4,162,588	4,192,224	3,838,784	3,963,226	1,994,502	2,469,631
farms	1,803	2,090	1,553	1,826	937	1,326
acres	1,484,286	1,470,178	1,385,292	1,411,994	274,466	333,563
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS						
Total	29,914	33,668	25,147	29,464	20,727	24,670
farms	8,326,171	6,312,958	6,885,801	5,462,971	4,233,665	3,771,188
\$1,000	29,914	33,668	25,147	29,464	20,727	24,670
Market value of agricultural products sold	8,205,270	6,107,667	6,778,884	5,277,937	4,204,217	3,694,552
\$1,000	10,495	11,472	9,585	10,673	5,931	7,339
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	3,287,100	2,251,764	3,107,456	2,164,882	707,679	666,758
\$1,000	14,462	16,601	12,331	14,886	13,322	15,631
Livestock, poultry, and their products	4,918,170	3,855,904	3,671,428	3,113,056	3,496,539	3,027,793
\$1,000	7,159	13,514	5,823	11,732	2,860	7,860
Government payments	120,901	205,291	106,917	185,034	29,448	76,637
farms						
\$1,000						
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS						
Less than \$1,000	6,642	7,768	5,398	6,615	5,009	6,296
\$1,000 to \$2,499	3,742	4,125	2,915	3,481	2,394	2,865
\$2,500 to \$4,999	3,532	4,209	2,923	3,573	2,567	3,017
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3,903	4,743	3,331	4,194	3,014	3,596
\$10,000 to \$24,999	4,232	4,751	3,649	4,256	3,226	3,613
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2,320	2,393	2,071	2,223	1,677	1,846
\$50,000 or more	5,543	5,679	4,860	5,122	2,840	3,437
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS						
CCC loans	133	195	128	191	30	56
farms	29,438	42,001	28,182	42,027	4,511	9,253
\$1,000	4,458	6,267	3,395	5,110	1,490	2,646
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments	31,056	37,427	23,614	30,226	8,581	12,619
\$1,000	3,364	10,369	3,012	9,316	1,635	6,655
Other Federal farm program payments	89,846	167,864	83,303	154,808	20,867	64,018
farms						
\$1,000						
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	2,800	2,726	2,632	2,573	642	960
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	963	958	896	897	534	561
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	679	641	612	581	322	297
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	330	450	285	391	122	162
Other crop farming (1119)	7,805	9,278	6,327	7,822	3,281	4,274
Tobacco farming (11191)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)	322	369	305	347	70	108
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	7,483	8,909	6,022	7,475	3,211	4,166
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	11,235	12,939	9,605	11,653	10,831	12,669
Cattle feedlots (11212)	-	1	-	1	-	1
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	32	86	30	83	32	86
Hog and pig farming (1122)	175	167	164	130	158	170
Poultry and egg production (1123)	1,916	1,618	1,454	1,286	1,428	1,261
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	1,123	1,219	915	1,049	1,072	1,168
Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	2,856	3,585	2,227	2,998	2,305	3,061
OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS						
Farms by-						
Type of organization:						
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family	28,224	32,144	23,703	28,202	20,006	23,925
Limited Liability Company	3,650	2,334	3,183	2,025	2,197	1,392
Operation's legal status for tax purposes:						
Family or individual	25,707	29,181	21,501	25,569	18,831	22,396

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Item	Marketing decisions (see text)		Record keeping and financial management		Estate or succession planning	
	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS						
Farms	18,895	(NA)	26,037	30,684	18,015	22,179
Land in farms	6,990,889	(NA)	9,065,574	9,509,614	6,664,484	6,873,298
FARMS BY SIZE						
1 to 9 acres	927	(NA)	1,277	1,872	797	1,243
10 to 49 acres	4,537	(NA)	6,527	7,451	4,172	5,271
50 to 179 acres	6,595	(NA)	9,196	11,173	6,424	8,108
180 to 499 acres	3,787	(NA)	5,108	6,045	3,744	4,539
500 acres or more	3,049	(NA)	3,929	4,143	2,878	3,018
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS						
Owned land in farms	17,613	(NA)	24,416	28,765	17,080	21,007
acres	3,900,048	(NA)	5,440,934	5,881,848	4,087,150	4,434,090
Rented or leased land in farms	6,136	(NA)	7,468	9,071	5,068	6,371
acres	3,090,841	(NA)	3,624,640	3,627,766	2,577,334	2,439,208
TENURE						
Full owners	12,759	(NA)	18,569	21,613	12,947	15,808
acres	2,558,517	(NA)	3,788,852	4,105,948	2,857,998	3,114,342
Part owners	4,854	(NA)	5,847	7,152	4,133	5,199
acres	3,227,335	(NA)	3,871,532	4,028,942	2,850,698	2,892,418
Tenants	1,282	(NA)	1,621	1,919	935	1,172
acres	1,205,037	(NA)	1,405,190	1,374,724	955,788	866,538
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS						
Total	18,895	(NA)	26,037	30,684	18,015	22,179
\$1,000	5,532,548	(NA)	7,471,658	5,950,812	5,143,301	4,322,938
Market value of agricultural products sold	18,895	(NA)	26,037	30,684	18,015	22,179
\$1,000	5,445,199	(NA)	7,359,431	5,756,419	5,065,253	4,187,113
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	7,417	(NA)	9,421	10,620	6,669	7,610
\$1,000	2,611,682	(NA)	3,085,810	2,149,215	2,248,068	1,462,978
Livestock, poultry, and their products	10,260	(NA)	12,913	15,588	8,728	11,433
\$1,000	2,833,517	(NA)	4,273,622	3,607,205	2,817,185	2,724,135
Government payments	4,133	(NA)	6,307	12,466	4,552	9,174
\$1,000	87,348	(NA)	112,226	194,393	78,048	135,826
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS						
Less than \$1,000	3,601	(NA)	5,410	6,720	3,848	4,778
\$1,000 to \$2,499	2,003	(NA)	3,098	3,705	2,036	2,738
\$2,500 to \$4,999	2,103	(NA)	3,072	3,762	2,059	2,701
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2,587	(NA)	3,483	4,407	2,425	3,137
\$10,000 to \$24,999	2,794	(NA)	3,752	4,439	2,660	3,299
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1,711	(NA)	2,146	2,294	1,552	1,677
\$50,000 or more	4,096	(NA)	5,076	5,357	3,435	3,849
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS						
CCC loans	107	(NA)	129	191	100	124
\$1,000	21,967	(NA)	27,611	42,145	23,363	24,080
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments	2,062	(NA)	3,878	5,669	2,851	4,203
\$1,000	14,173	(NA)	28,514	35,329	19,871	25,706
Other Federal farm program payments	2,535	(NA)	3,043	9,728	2,148	7,158
\$1,000	73,175	(NA)	83,712	159,064	58,177	110,120
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	2,198	(NA)	2,617	2,533	1,745	1,692
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	572	(NA)	799	821	600	583
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	451	(NA)	611	539	411	343
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	256	(NA)	295	380	207	248
Other crop farming (1119)	3,864	(NA)	6,666	8,373	4,886	6,085
Tobacco farming (11191)	-	(NA)	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)	239	(NA)	305	354	192	232
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	3,625	(NA)	6,361	8,019	4,694	5,853
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	7,779	(NA)	9,805	12,059	6,676	8,826
Cattle feedlots (11212)	-	(NA)	-	1	-	1
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	22	(NA)	29	86	27	63
Hog and pig farming (1122)	139	(NA)	164	149	105	96
Poultry and egg production (1123)	1,075	(NA)	1,678	1,498	1,052	1,113
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	763	(NA)	985	1,093	622	754
Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	1,776	(NA)	2,388	3,152	1,684	2,375
OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS						
Farms by-						
Type of organization:						
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family	17,879	(NA)	24,495	29,298	16,987	21,275
Limited Liability Company	2,481	(NA)	3,393	2,194	2,370	1,564
Operation's legal status for tax purposes:						
Family or individual	16,106	(NA)	22,179	26,489	15,278	19,208

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	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS - Con.						
Farms by - Con.						
Operation's legal status for tax purposes: - Con.						
Partnership	2,427	2,443	2,203	2,156	1,014	1,212
Corporation	1,475	1,601	1,193	1,380	740	848
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc.	305	443	250	359	142	214
Number of producers:						
1 producer	14,094	17,611	11,632	15,420	9,643	13,039
2 producers	12,973	13,646	11,003	11,892	9,401	10,189
3 producers	1,581	1,535	1,401	1,373	988	972
4 producers	875	588	785	527	497	337
5 or more producers	391	288	326	252	198	133
Number of male producers:						
1 producer	24,022	27,435	20,091	24,095	17,183	20,669
2 producers	2,903	2,854	2,617	2,604	1,759	1,896
3 producers	687	568	631	510	380	311
4 producers	185	116	145	95	82	58
5 or more producers	88	77	80	73	44	31
Number of female producers:						
1 producer	14,301	15,244	11,960	13,123	10,295	11,244
2 producers	1,061	877	935	773	673	530
3 producers	192	167	151	124	97	83
4 producers	78	62	70	55	40	26
5 or more producers	37	19	21	11	12	4
Farms reporting-						
Internet access	22,125	22,375	18,946	19,980	15,395	16,438
Dial-up	546	659	462	566	421	527
Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text)	12,352	(NA)	10,626	(NA)	8,422	(NA)
Cellular data plan (see text)	14,112	9,577	12,236	8,666	9,950	7,124
Satellite	4,015	4,371	3,442	3,927	2,768	3,272
Don't know	894	1,394	775	1,254	610	1,048
Other	165	298	139	248	127	199
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:						
1 household	24,777	28,210	20,811	24,742	17,559	21,093
2 households	3,704	3,983	3,103	3,469	2,431	2,834
3 households	812	816	709	700	415	424
4 households	388	376	327	312	210	195
5 or more households	233	283	197	241	112	124

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OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS - Con.						
Farms by - Con.						
Operation's legal status for tax purposes: - Con.						
Partnership	1,751	(NA)	2,301	2,300	1,607	1,622
Corporation	879	(NA)	1,301	1,493	920	1,034
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc.	159	(NA)	256	402	210	315
Number of producers:						
1 producer	8,700	(NA)	11,811	15,751	8,211	11,549
2 producers	8,430	(NA)	11,577	12,604	7,879	8,983
3 producers	1,023	(NA)	1,498	1,493	1,074	1,036
4 producers	538	(NA)	800	567	565	436
5 or more producers	204	(NA)	351	209	286	175
Number of male producers:						
1 producer	15,255	(NA)	20,767	24,975	14,304	18,171
2 producers	1,936	(NA)	2,662	2,687	1,812	1,910
3 producers	454	(NA)	660	551	480	368
4 producers	77	(NA)	141	106	106	55
5 or more producers	45	(NA)	81	76	57	44
Number of female producers:						
1 producer	9,083	(NA)	12,693	13,989	8,789	10,044
2 producers	644	(NA)	1,001	864	754	639
3 producers	110	(NA)	181	142	137	114
4 producers	35	(NA)	60	58	49	28
5 or more producers	21	(NA)	34	19	32	10
Farms reporting-						
Internet access	14,596	(NA)	19,815	20,806	13,607	14,933
Dial-up	415	(NA)	505	602	371	451
Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text)	8,139	(NA)	11,183	(NA)	7,668	(NA)
Cellular data plan (see text)	9,628	(NA)	12,833	8,954	8,882	6,439
Satellite	2,668	(NA)	3,567	4,089	2,485	3,077
Don't know	563	(NA)	775	1,267	562	895
Other	100	(NA)	129	276	82	198
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:						
1 household	15,662	(NA)	21,525	25,591	14,966	18,584
2 households	2,353	(NA)	3,183	3,683	2,140	2,634
3 households	505	(NA)	754	784	515	516
4 households	233	(NA)	367	352	262	235
5 or more households	142	(NA)	208	274	132	210